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Attorney Docket No. 16518.134

First Inventor Katayoon DEHESH

Title Nucleic Acid Sequences Encoding β-Ketoacyl-ACP Synthase and  
Uses Thereof

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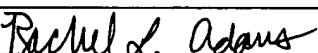
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Prior application information: Examiner Russell KALLIS

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Re: U.S. Divisional Application  
Based on U.S. Application No. 09/915,182, filed July 25, 2001  
Appl. No.: To Be Assigned  
Filed: Herewith  
Title: **Nucleic Acid Sequences Encoding β-Ketoacyl-ACP Synthase and  
Uses Thereof**  
Applicant: Katayoon DEHESH  
Atty. Docket: 16518.134

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO):

1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal (PTO/SB/05);
2. U.S. Divisional Application entitled:

**Nucleic Acid Sequences Encoding β-Ketoacyl-ACP Synthase and  
Uses  
Thereof**

and naming as inventor:

**Katayoon DEHESH;**

the application consisting of:

- a. a specification containing:
  - (i). 32 pages of a description prior to the claims;
  - (ii). 5 pages of claims (36 claims);
  - (iii). 6 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-4);
  - (iv). a one (1) page abstract;
  - (v). 4 pages of a paper copy of the sequence listing;

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3. a sequence listing in Computer Readable Form (CRF), on floppy diskette;
4. a Statement Regarding Sequence Submission;
5. a copy of an Appointment of Associate Attorneys filed in parent application no. 09/915,182;
6. a copy of the most recently executed Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in parent application no. 09/915,182;
7. a copy of a Revocation of Prior Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Attorneys of Record filed in parent application no. 09/915,182;
8. a Recordation Form Cover Sheet;
9. a copy of an Assignment executed by inventor Katayoon DEHESH;
10. a Preliminary Amendment; and
11. two (2) return postcards.

This application is a divisional of U.S. Application No. 09/915,182, filed July 25, 2001, which claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 60/220,702, filed July 25, 2000. U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/220,702, filed July 25, 2000, and U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/915,182, filed July 25, 2001, are herein incorporated by reference in their entirety.

Submitted herewith is a sequence listing in Computer Readable Form (CFR), on floppy diskette.

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Respectfully submitted,



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